

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yoshihiro Mizoguchi  
Title: "IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS"  
Serial No.: N/A  
Filed: Herewith  
Docket: 35880

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Va. 22313-1450

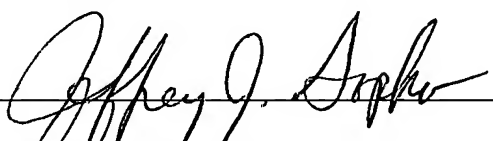
Sir/Madam:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, applicant is submitting herewith Form PTO-1449 listing references for consideration by the Examiner. Also submitted herewith is a legible copy of each reference listed.

If there are any fees required by this communication, please charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. 35880.

Respectfully submitted,

PEARNE & GORDON LLP

By   
Jeffrey J. Sopko, Reg. No. 27676

526 Superior Avenue East  
Suite 1200  
Cleveland, Ohio 44114-1484  
(216) 579-1700

July 11, 2003

Express Mail Label No.: EV 341098943 US

Form PTO-1449		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY. DOCKET NO. <b>35880</b>	SERIAL NO. N/A
<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION BY APPLICANT</b> <i>(USE SEVERAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY)</i>				APPLICANT: Yoshihiro Mizoguchi	
				FILING DATE: Herewith	GROUP ART UNIT:

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initial		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate
	A	6,285,847 B1	09/2001	Tanizaki et al.			
	B	US 2002/0085858 A1	07/2002	Yamaguchi et al.			
	C						
	D						
	E						
	F						
	G						
	H						
	I						
	J						
	K						

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation
	L	2000-352898	12/2000	Japan			Cited on page 5 of Specification
	M						
	N						
	P						
	Q						

OTHER REFERENCES <i>(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</i>	
	R

Examiner:	Date Considered
-----------	-----------------

*Examiner:	Initial if reference considered, regardless of whether citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance <u>and</u> not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.
------------	--